

### REMARKS

Claims 17 through 21 and 32 through 51 are now pending in the application. Claims 17, 19, 20, 32, 33 and 35 through 38 have been amended and Claims 39 through 51 are newly presented. Applicant submits that the claim amendments and new claims are presented herein so as to provide the Applicant with a scope of protection commensurate with their contribution to the art. Applicant submits that bases for the amendments and support for the new claims may be found throughout the application, claims and drawings as originally filed and as such, no new matter has been presented.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this amendment is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (248) 641-1600.

Respectfully submitted,

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